

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY LOME  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2511

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: CFED (ATTIODE, MENSAN KEMAVO CSA 1008632/80)  
SUBJECT: DEATH BENEFITS FOR WIDOW OF MENSAN ATTIOGBE

REF: A) STATE 152992 , B) LOME 1465

1. PROPER ADDRESS FOR BENEFIT CHECKS MAILED TO WIDOW OF  
MENSAN ATTIOGBE (CSA 1008632/80) IS: CORNELIA A. AMEDEKE ATTIOGBE,  
C/O AMERICAN EMBASSY, CONSULAR SECTION, LOME, REPUBLIC OF TOGO.

2. MRS. ATTIOGBE HAS NOW OBTAINED DEATH CERTIFICATE, COPY  
OF WHICH HAS BEEN CERTIFIED BY CONSULAR OFFICER AND WILL BE  
FORWARDED TO CSC TO PERMIT EARLY ACTION ON HER CLAIM. TWO MINOR  
CHILDREN ARE NATURAL DAUGHTERS OF DECEDANT'S BROTHER, AND ADOPTED  
BY DECEDANT AFTER HIS BROTHER'S DEATH. SINCE REFERENCE A  
STATES THEY WILL BE INELIGIBLE FOR BENEFITS, THEIR BIRTH  
CERTIFICATES ARE NOT BEING SUBMITTED.

3. CURRENT ADDRESS OF (RUBEN) KWESI ATTIOGBE IS: KWESI  
ATTIOGBE, DIRECTION DE L'AGRICULTURE, B.P. 341, LOME, TOGO.  
PLEASE NOTE THAT CHRISTIAN NAMES ARE NO LONGER USED IN TOGO,  
AND LETTERS ADDRESSED TO PERSONS IN CHRISTIAN NAME ARE OFTEN  
DELAYED OR NOT DELIVERED. THUS MRS. ATTIOGBE'S CORRESPONDENCE  
SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO EMBASSY CONSULAR SECTION, AND MR.  
KWESI'S FORMER CHRISTIAN NAME "RUBEN" SHOULD NOT APPEAR ON  
ENVELOPES FORWARDED TO HIM VIA INTERNATIONAL MAIL.

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4. EMBASSY WELCOMES CSC DECISION TO PLACE MRS. ATTIOGBE  
IN SPECIAL PAY STATUS, WHICH ALLOWS HER TO RECEIVE PARTIAL  
PAYMENT OF CHECKS WHILE CASE IS BEING COMPLETED.  
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